



JULY 2018

Dear Praying Friends and Brethren,

We are forever grateful for your continued prayers and financial support that help our “oil burn” this side of the world. We value your partnership and we keep accountable with our work in the ministry to God.

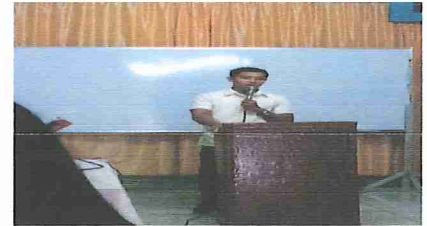
Three years ago I was in America to raise funds for our lot project in the mission in Mindanao, my prayers were answered. We were able to acquire a piece of lot property, after the property was paid in full and the building permit was released in 2017, we started constructing the building. We still held our meeting place in a rented space every church services while construction is on-going. Wiring was installed but due to lack of funds continuation was hampered. For this reason, before my visa expires, I need to go back here in America to report and to share my burden to finish our building project. I believe that we can do more in the ministry when we finally move in and use our own church building during services. We can accommodate more visitors and we can have a good place to teach the children during Sunday school. Another reason is to renew my partnership with other churches who stop supporting our work. My brother will start a new mission work before the year ends, please consider him in your prayers. Personally, I am excited to see another “Silas” in the ministry. You are all part of these labors.

It is also our prayers and desire to expand to teach pre-school someday as an arm of the ministry to reach students and their parents. As preparation, my wife took an exam for Licensure Examination for Teachers and praises to God, she was able to passed the exam. Out of 76,673 only 22,963 successfully passed and my wife was one of them.

As always, many thanks for your much -needed prayers and partnership. Please continue to pray for us as we frequently do the same for you and yours.

Forever grateful,

Bro. Dondon and family



Our future missionary



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January – March 2018

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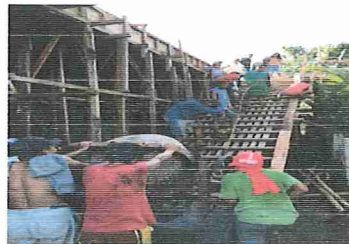
We said “goodbye” to the month of March and “hello” to the month of April. How time flies! Praise and thanks be to our gracious Heavenly Father for keeping and sustaining us all down through the first quarter of 2018.

Our summer youth camp took place with the theme “ Conformed or Transformed” challenging the youth to be committed in serving the Lord and not to be conformed with the world. Youth from different churches gathered together for this event.

Also, before the first quarter ends we had our baptism, praying that these new converts will serve God



continually. For the meantime, construction ceases and will resume when funds become available as God provides.



Below are pictures of our previous ministry activities (feeding and children centers).



On the month of February, Ptr. Bob Simpson from Louisiana visited us.

Forever Grateful,

Bro. Dondon, Gina, Bethany, Biboy and Brielle



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September-December 10, 2017

Dear Praying Friends and Brethren,

Thankful for the victories....2017 will come to an end and once again we are witnesses of God's faithfulness. God's grace and provision is sufficient and we become victorious in all the challenges we have faced.

This year we were able to fully paid our church lot property and was able to elevate it and church building construction is still in progress. Souls got saved through the preaching of God's word and new members were added to the church. Our mission work marked its 4th year anniversary and during the celebration 20 souls accepted the Lord Jesus Christ as their personal Lord and Saviour. Members are more dedicated and growing in faith. Our ministry continues and praying that God will bless us more and enlarge our coast, leading more souls to Christ and will become more dedicated followers of Christ. What a great God we serve! He deserves all of our praises and service.

We are more than thankful in your partnership to our ministry, thank you for all of your prayers and financial supports and for that me, my family and church family are forever grateful.

We pray that God would continue to bless you. May you all have a blissful holiday seasons!

In God's service,

Bro. Dondon, Gina, Bethany, Biboy and Brielle.

